

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

Mrs. John Holley of Arredondo was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. William Lancaster of Micanopy was shopping in Gainesville yesterday.

Mrs. H. C. Roth has returned from Chandler, where she has been on a visit to her parents.

A. B. Seruggs, formerly of this city but now residing in Tampa, is greeting old friends here.

G. W. Scarborough was in the city yesterday on business connected with the tax assessor's office.

G. Hartwell Kelley of Prairie Creek, manager of the Crill saw mill, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Miss Minnie Shaw has returned to her home in Alachua, after a pleasant visit to friends in North Gainesville.

Mrs. W. L. Hill and son, Robert, and Mrs. T. W. Shands have gone to St. Augustine, where they expect to remain for the next few weeks.

When you want a pleasant laxative that is easy to take and certain to act, use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all druggists.

Hon. R. B. Weeks of Hawthorn, chairman of the school board, has returned to his home, after a couple of days spent in this city on business connected with the board.

W. F. Berry of Stroble, one of the leading citizens of that section and a trustee of Stroble school, was in the city yesterday on business connected with the school board.

L. J. Burkhim sailed via Clyde Line Tuesday for New York, where he goes to purchase his fall line. Mrs. Burkhim is spending a few weeks in the meantime at Waynesville, N. C.

The pay car, more familiarly known among the railroad employes as the "band wagon," arrived in the city yesterday and made the A. C. L. "gang" happy. Several hundred dollars are disbursed here monthly from this car.

C. Crisman and H. M. Sherouse, two prominent citizens of Micanopy, were in the city yesterday. Mr. Sherouse is engaged in the manufacture of yellow pine lumber and shingles and vegetable and fruit crates and baskets. He enjoys a fine business.

A letter from Hon. W. H. Robertson, county treasurer, who is spending a few weeks at Rock Hill, S. C., for his health, bears the information that his condition is improving. This will be gratifying news to his numerous friends in this city and county.

J. M. Everett of Donnie, one of our substantial agriculturalists, and a resident of the West End long enough to become of the pioneers, made The Sun a short visit yesterday. Mr. Everett is a great advocate of Florida and the State has room for many more such good citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Poulnot desire to express their sincere appreciation and thanks for the many kindnesses shown them during the illness and death of their dear little daughter, Mary Lillian, and beg to assure these friends that they will never be forgotten.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Poulnot sympathize with them in the death of their eight-months-old daughter, Mary Lillian, which occurred at one o'clock Thursday morning, after an illness of three weeks. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon, Rev. T. J. Nixon of the Methodist church officiating.

Dr. A. Duke of Santa Fe, member of the school board from that district returned to his home yesterday, after a few days spent here in assisting Superintendent J. L. Kelley in school matters. Mr. Duke is very enthusiastic in all matters of public interest and is giving his time for the benefit of the school interests of the county.

The United States land office force has been quite busy for the past two days. Among the visitors to the office were M. S. Bryan and W. H. Lewis of Fort Meade; D. W. Stokes, Chas. Montsdoea, William Montsdoea and Elias McClellan of Midland, Polk county, and Elias Wilson, J. S. Heithco and G. B. Fouts of Belmore, Clay county.

Justice R. A. Caswell of Alachua, Deputy Sheriff J. W. McCann and J. W. Harris of LaCrosse and S. F. Waits of Grove Park were in the city yesterday. Mr. McCann brought Daphney Wood, a colored woman, who was adjudged insane, and will be taken to the State Hospital for the Insane at Chattahoochee. The unfortunate woman is being held in prison here awaiting the arrival of an attendant.

There was a swell colored wedding at Mt. Pleasant M. E. Church Wednesday evening, the contracting parties being Chas. Duval and Sallie Trapp, two leaders of the colored 400 in this city. Quite a number of the white friends of the contracting parties, among whom were some of the most prominent in the city, were present to extend congratulations and wish the happy couple a life of uninterrupted conjugal bliss. The church was handsomely decorated for the occasion with flowers and evergreens, and the bride, as well as her attendants, were handsomely attired.

F. P. Henderson of Arno was among the prominent visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. Henderson is one of the leading and most successful peach growers in the State, his crop the past season netting him a nice sum. He is also progressive, and is manifesting a great deal of interest in the Florida State Fair, which will be held in Tampa from November 15 to 30 of the present year. He believes that Alachua county, with all her diversified resources, should have the finest general exhibit of any county in the State, which will no doubt be the case, as the people everywhere are taking interest in the Fair already. Mr. Henderson and his good wife will donate their proportion to showing what Alachua county can do.

From Saturday's Daily Sun.

Clarence Camp of Ocala was registered at the Brown House yesterday.

W. L. Simonton of Micanopy was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

R. W. Small of Hague was among those who paid Gainesville a visit yesterday.

George Armistead of High Springs was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff J. B. Kennard of Waldo was in the city on official business yesterday.

J. T. Mizelle, a prominent citizen of Alachua, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

A new sidewalk of vitrified brick has been laid on East Liberty street in front of the new Hill buildings.

Mrs. C. H. Davis left yesterday for an extended visit to Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee, with relatives and friends. Her friends in this city wish her a pleasant trip.

Tie Choppers Wanted—Seventy-five to one hundred good tie choppers can secure steady employment at Trenton. Good pay. Address Drummond & Flowers, Trenton, Fla. 21

Dotha Burnett has returned from Hague, where he went Thursday to attend the marriage of his cousin, Miss Herdie Hague, to M. G. Bryan, Jr. The marriage occurred Thursday afternoon.

READ THIS.

PRYOR, TENN., JUNE 1, 1901.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: I have suffered several years from kidney and bladder trouble and have tried a number of preparations, but can truthfully say that nothing has proved so effective as your Texas Wonder, which I can truthfully recommend.

Geo. W. Claiborne.

A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidney and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 628, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

John Hague, Joseph M. Kite and George Dampier of Hague were among the visitors to the county capital yesterday.

J. H. Truby received Friday a telegram from Washington, announcing that his mother was not expected to live. It being impossible for him to leave at the time, Mrs. Truby left on the 2 p. m. train for that city.

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Broome sailed on the Clyde steamer Comanche from Jacksonville yesterday. The former goes to New York to purchase his fall goods, while Mrs. Broome will spend a few weeks in South Carolina.

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Annie E. Bailey, and persons crediting her or trading with her, do so at their own risk. JAMES S. BAILEY, Newberry, Fla., July 7th, 1905.

J. W. Drummond of Trenton, member of the firm of Drummond & Flowers, cross-tie contractors, was in the city yesterday and made The Sun an appreciated call, having his name enrolled upon the subscription list. As will be noted elsewhere, Mr. Drummond is desirous of employing a number of choppers, and will give good men steady employment on good pay.

O. W. Reagan of Ocala and H. L. Hayes of Hague, valued employees of the Hoopes Bros. & Darlington Company, manufacturers of vehicle spokes, hubs and rims, were among those registered at the Brown House yesterday. This firm is located in Ocala, but a great deal of material is secured from the forests of this county. They employ quite a number of men in the vicinity of Hague.

The University normal roll is being increased almost daily. Among the latest arrivals is M. M. Provenau of Abbott, who entered the school yesterday. The faculty is well pleased with the progress being made, and feel sure that the term will prove one of the most profitable ever known in Florida. Among the students at the normal is Miss Hortense Broward of Jacksonville, sister of His Excellency Governor N. B. Broward.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

W. T. Preston of Alachua was trading in the city yesterday.

House and lot for sale in South Gainesville. Apply at Sun office.

B. W. Waits of Hawthorn was among the visitors to this city yesterday.

J. R. Feaster of Rochelle was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Bige Beckham of Fairbanks was among the Saturday visitors to Gainesville.

James Dell of Alachua was among the business visitors to this city yesterday.

P. B. H. Dudley of Jonesville was transacting business in this city yesterday.

S. G. Winn, a progressive farmer of Jonesville, was trading in the city yesterday.

New Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine for sale at a bargain. Apply at this office.

R. B. Simmons of Fairbanks made The Sun a call yesterday and renewed his obligation.

F. C. Crown of Rocky Point was in the city yesterday. He called at The Sun office and renewed his subscription.

T. P. Maynard, one of the substantial citizens of Alachua, was in town yesterday and made The Sun an appreciated call.

H. A. Fisher and son, James, have returned from Campville, where they have been engaged for the past few days in laying brick.

Miss Marion Smith and J. W. Bradley of Wauchoota were in the city yesterday and dined with their friend, Miss Eva Banknight.

Justice J. W. Small of Hague, one of the most competent officials in the county, was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

George Main of Rocky Point, E. M. Raney of Wauchoota and John Holley of Arredondo were among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

Among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday was Hon. W. M. Blitch of Santa Fe. Mr. Blitch is one of the most successful farmers in that section.

Emmett Johnson of Hawthorn was in town yesterday. Mr. Johnson states that the crops in his section promise good yields, and as a result the farmers are happy.

C. C. Worthington of Alachua, one of The Sun's old and valued subscribers, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Worthington is a successful builder and contractor.

W. M. Campbell, W. A. Ferris, Furman Smith, E. G. Spencer and L. Baldwin of Alachua were among those who paid Gainesville a visit yesterday.

S. A. Thomas of Rochelle, one of The Sun's oldest and most valued subscribers, was in town Saturday and called and renewed his subscription.

J. C. Haile of Alachua, one of the most progressive and most widely known young men in that section, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Mrs. C. D. Moody and children of Fort Lauderdale, who have been visiting relatives in North Gainesville for the past five weeks, have returned to their home.

Great Bargains—Two full outfits, complete, one large and one small shingle mill, with boilers, engines, shafting, pulleys, etc., at a sacrifice. Geo. W. Moyers, Gainesville, Fla.

Rev. T. J. Nixon of Kavanagh Methodist Church preached a very interesting sermon to the people of North Gainesville Friday evening. There was a good congregation and those who attended seemed well pleased.

D. L. Williams, who resides seven miles west of Gainesville, was in town yesterday and renewed his subscription to The Sun. Mr. Williams says he has considerable cotton open and that his crop is in very good condition.

Miss Susie Fisher left yesterday for Tampa, where she will remain for the next few days as the guest of her brother, Chas. Fisher. Mr. Fisher, who is a Gainesville boy, now holds a good position as a bricklayer in Tampa.

For Sale—Lot 161x343, two dwellings, 250 bearing peach trees and variety other fruits, fine garden, nice location; splendid investment; only two blocks from square. Terms easy. A. J. Cone, Gainesville, Fla. d4w2.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Slaughter and daughter were in the city from Newnanville yesterday, having come on account of the arraignment of S. Slaughter, who is charged with the murder of Lou Sessions on Saturday, the 15th inst.

Capt. D. T. English of Tacoma was in the city yesterday and made this office an agreeable call. He reports Dolph Chamberlain, who was severely burned during the fire which destroyed his residence Wednesday night, as considerably improved.

F. J. Hammond of Hawthorn, one of the most widely known residents of that section, was in the city yesterday. Mrs. Hammond and daughter have gone to Asheville, N. C., where they will spend a few weeks, after which they will go to Northern New York. They will be joined in New York State by Mr. Hammond.

There were quite a number of Alachua and Newnanville people in this city yesterday, having been attracted here on account of the preliminary trial of N. Slaughter, charged with the murder of Lou Sessions. Some came as witnesses, while others were merely attracted on account of the interest in the case. Among these were James Love, James Holder, William Ferris and Arthur Sessions.

After a thorough and satisfactory examination as to his personal piety and his motives in seeking the ministry, Mr. Thomas Curry Merchant was received as a candidate by the Presbytery of Suwannee at its meeting in Jacksonville last Wednesday morning. This action places Mr. Merchant under the supervision and direction of the Presbytery during the course of his preparatory studies in college and the Theological Seminary.

Salesmen Wanted.—Three salesmen for our new County, Township and Railroad Survey of Florida. This survey is a splendid compilation of facts, figures and drawings and of wonderful value. Counties and towns fully indexed and population of each is given; railroads plainly shown and distances between all stations is shown; congressional districts outlined, numbered and population. Other features too numerous for mention. A splendid opportunity to energetic men. Reedy, McNally & Co., Chicago.

Will Not Leave Gainesville.

Editor Sun: I am informed that some of my friends are under the impression that I intend leaving this county and locating in Tampa.

This is evidently based upon the fact that Hon. Robert W. Davis, formerly Congressman of this district, has recently moved to the metropolis of South Florida, the error doubtless being one of similarity of name.

I have no intention of parting with the friends I have in this county, and just now I am too favorably impressed with the future of Alachua to leave.

KIRBY SMITH STILL LEADS THE CONTEST

Is 6,570 Votes Ahead of the Second Highest Competitor.

ODD FELLOWS' GAIN 38,560

The Library Contest Getting Down to But Few Competitors—Only Six Show Signs of Keeping in the Race. 56,796 Votes Cast The Past Week.

The sixth week of the Library contest has closed with the largest vote cast of any of the others, the total for the week being 56,796, the Odd Fellows' Home getting 35,000 in one bunch by the sale of a piece of land by the W. R. Thomas Company, which put the Home in second place.

At five different voting places Kirby Smith Chapter got over a thousand votes at each and by hard work retained the lead.

There has been a concentration of the efforts of vote-getters on but six of the contestants, the Elks only advanced two votes and the Woodmen of the World seven, while the others following this order did not gain a vote.

It has been deemed advisable, after this week, to drop the names of those who have not got a hundred to their credit after this week.

The total vote to date is:

Kirby Smith Chapter	62,459
Odd Fellows' Home	55,889
Twentieth Century Club	53,280
Earnest Workers	28,239
High School	5,105
Union Academy	4,919
Knights of Pythias	2,586
Masons	1,247
Elks	944
Methodist Church	377
Nora Norton Library	167
Hospital Association	152
Woodmen of the World	147
Firemen	122
Baptist Church, colored	96
Methodist S. S.	80
Baptist Church	50
P. O. S. of A.	44
Guards	26
Colored M. E. Church	16
Seven Stars	12
Mt. Pleasant S. S.	9

Alachua Happenings.

Alachua, July 22—Miss Pearl Oatis of Atlanta, Ga., is the attractive guest of her sister, Mrs. E. Stringfellow.

Miss Hattie Fowler of Lake Butler is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. C. Dell. Her many friends here are glad to see her again.

Miss Mamie Stork is visiting friends at Reddick.

Misses Alice, Cora and Lella Oates spent Thursday at Worthington.

The friends of Edgell Guinn will regret to know that he is confined to his bed with jaundice.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weeks are visiting relatives and friends at LaCrosse. R. E. Dell was a pleasant visitor here this week.

A good many from here attended the Sessions trial at Gainesville today.

Important to Land Owners.

Notice is given in a paper other than The Sun that tax deed will be issued to the following described lands situated, lying and being in Alachua county, if not redeemed on or before the 24th day of July, 1906:

NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 34, Tp. 10, S. of R. 22 east.

SE 1/4 and SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 32, Tp. 10, S. of R. 22 east, 30 acres.

NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 29, Tp. 10, S. of R. 22 east, 40 acres.

SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 and W 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 30, Tp. 10, S. of R. 22 east, 160 acres.

Said land was assessed at date of certificate to the Henning Land and Improvement Company.

Hon. Henry S. Chubb, receiver of the United States land office, has returned from a pleasant visit to his family at Winter Park, Col. Chubb states that South Florida is in a prosperous condition just now, and that the people are anticipating good yields in fruits the coming season.

W. H. SIBLEY, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

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